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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION)
OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF:

KEVIN WARD, D.D.S.
LICENSE NO. DI4747

TO PRACTICE DENTISTRY IN THE
STATE OF NEW JERSEY)

Administrative Action

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE AND
FOR PRELIMINARY TEMPORARY
PRACTICE LIMITATIONS,
NOTICE OF HEARING AND
REQUIREMENT TO FILE ANSWER

TO: Kevin Ward, D.D.S.
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CERTIFIED TRUE COPY

This matter having been opened to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry by the Verified Complaint, copy attached, of John J. Farmer, Jr., Attorney General of New Jersey, by Hakima Bey-Lawson, Deputy Attorney General, on notice to respondent, seeking the suspension of the license of respondent, Kevin Ward, D.D.S., to practice dentistry and further relief pursuant to the authority conferred upon the Board by N.J.S.A. 45:6-1 et seq., and its regulations, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21 et seq., and it being

alleged in the complaint that respondent has violated the Dental Practice Act and Board regulations, and it being further alleged that respondent's continued practice constitutes a clear and imminent danger to the public health, safety and welfare, and for good cause shown,

IT IS ON THIS 5th DAY OF APRIL, 2000

ORDERED THAT:

Respondent, Kevin Ward, D.D.S., in person or by an attorney shall appear before the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry on April 10, 2000, at 124 Halsey Street, Newark, New Jersey, at

9 a.m./p.m. to show cause why an order suspending his license or otherwise limiting his license to practice dentistry in the State of New Jersey should not be entered; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that pending such hearing on April 10, 2000, and further Order of the Board, respondent ^{'s license to practice dentistry} shall ~~immediately~~ ^{be temporarily suspended limited to non clinical practice} ~~cease and desist and shall not continue to render dental treatment to any patient under eighteen (18) years of age, and,~~

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this Order together with the Verified Complaint and the affidavits and exhibits in support thereof, be served upon respondent or his attorney forthwith; and,

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that separate from his response to the Order to Show Cause, respondent shall file an answer to the charges contained within the Verified Complaint no later than April , 2000; said answer to be delivered to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry, 124 Halsey Street, 6th Floor, Newark, New Jersey 07101,

with a copy delivered on that same date to Hakima Bey-Lawson, Deputy Attorney General, Division of Law, 124 Halsey Street, P.O. Box 45029, Newark, New Jersey 07101, and

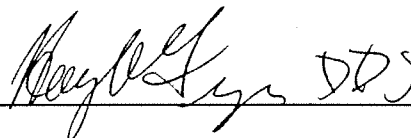
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that failure to respond to this Order to Show Cause and Notice of Hearing and Requirement to File Answer or failure to appear before the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry in person or by an attorney as herein indicated, may result in this matter being considered in respondent's absence on the proofs presented and an order/judgment may be entered against respondent for any and all of the relief demanded in the Verified Complaint; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that an admission of the charges will indicate that respondent does not wish to contest the charges stated, rendering unnecessary any hearing in this proceeding. The case will then be presented to the State Board of Dentistry with any written material which the respondent may wish to submit with the answer in alleged mitigation of penalty, for determination as to whether disciplinary sanctions, including suspension or revocation of respondent's license to practice dentistry or a lesser sanction should be imposed and whether a monetary penalty and costs should be assessed and, if so, the amount thereof pursuant to the authority conferred upon the Board, by N.J.S.A. 45:6-1 and N.J.S.A. 45:1-14 et seq; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a denial of the charges will result in a formal hearing conducted by the Board or by an Administrative

Law Judge who, upon notice to respondent, will hear the complaint and consider the matter of disciplinary sanctions with respect to respondent's license and may recommend the possible determinations as set forth above. Respondent may appear at the hearing in person or by an attorney or both and shall be afforded an opportunity to make defense to any and all of the charges.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD
OF DENTISTRY

By:  DDS
President

Kindly address all correspondence to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry, 124 Halsey Street, 6th Floor, Newark, New Jersey 07101, with two copies of respondent's answer. Additionally, please send one copy to Hakima Bey-Lawson, DAG, Division of Law, 124 Halsey Street, 5th Floor, P.O. Box 45029, Newark, New Jersey 07101.